

# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: HUNG-MING TAI

SERIAL NO.: 10/614,106

FILED: July 8, 2003

FOR: Method and Apparatus for Controlling the Length of a  
Carbon Nanotube

CONFIRMATION NO. 7689

GROUP ART UNIT: 1762

EXAMINER: K. Stouffer

ATTY. REFERENCE: TAIH3002/JJC/JS

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

### COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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*Sir:*

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for:

- One Month       Three Months  
 Two Months       Four Months  
 Five Months

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$ 1020.00.

- Fee enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to **Deposit Account Number 02-0200**.  
 Charge fee to **Deposit Account Number 02-0200**. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.  
 Applicant is a **small entity** entitled to pay reduced fees in this application.

Also enclosed is a:

- Response       Notice of Appeal       Appeal Brief

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*Respectfully submitted,*



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